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Mr. Tom Paluso
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Dear Mr. Paluso:

Re: Soldier Creek Coal Company, Soldier Canyon Mine,
CEP/007/018-89A, Carbon County, Utah

The Division has completed review of your company's submittal received May 17. The plans were reviewed by the Division's technical staff. The exploration program is approved with the following conditions:

UMC 776.11(b)(6) - LK

No drilling activities may be conducted between February 1 and July 15, unless a current raptor survey is performed in conjunction with the Division of Wildlife Resources.

UMC 815.15(c)(4) - LK

All exploration roads will be reclaimed during the first available planting season unless otherwise approved by the Division.

If you have any questions, please call Lynn Kunzler, Reclamation Biologist, or me.

Sincerely,

Susan C. Linner
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